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<u>Public Workshop to Discuss Amendments to the Consumer Products</u> Regulation for Cleaning Products

The California Air Resources Board (ARB/Board) staff invites you to join us on Wednesday, August 27, 2008, at 9:00 a.m. (PDT) for a public workshop to discuss development of proposed amendments to the consumer products regulation. Specifically, we intend to discuss the 2006 Survey data summaries for specific categories, the proposed amendments, and the regulatory schedule. This is the first meeting regarding the proposals that will be presented to the Board at the November 20, 2008, hearing.

This rulemaking is to evaluate emission reduction strategies for several specific categories: Air Freshener (double phase aerosol); Furniture Maintenance Product (aerosol); General Purpose Cleaner (non-aerosol); General Purpose Degreaser; and Glass Cleaner (non-aerosol). Due to the schedule for this rulemaking, we will be releasing the preliminary data summaries in conjunction with draft proposed volatile organic compound (VOC) limits for each category. These materials will be posted to the website listed below prior to the workshop. Notification will be sent *via* the list serve when the materials are posted.

We look forward to your participation. The meeting will be held at:

Air Resources Board Monitoring and Laboratory Division First Floor Conference Room 1927 13th Street Sacramento, California

You may attend in person or participate *via* teleconference. The following information is needed to participate via teleconference:

Date and Time:

Wednesday, August 27 at 9:00 a.m. (PDT)

Call-in Time:

Between 8:45 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.

Toll Free Number:

(888) 677-4933 (U.S. callers)

Toll Number:

(773) 756-0498 (International callers)

Passcode:

CONSUMER PRODUCTS

Leader:

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The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: http://www.arb.ca.gov.

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Information on the ARB's Consumer Products Program can be found at the following website: http://www.arb.ca.gov/consprod/consprod.htm. From this website, you can also sign up for the Consumer Products Program list serve, which will send you an email notice when any new information is posted. We will also post materials for the workshop at this same location.

If you have any questions about this letter or the regulatory development process, please contact Mr. Femi Olaluwoye at (916) 327-1503, or by email at oolaluwo@arb.ca.gov.

For individuals with sensory disabilities, this document and other related material can be made available in Braille, large print, audiocassette or computer disk. For assistance, please contact ARB's Reasonable Accommodation/Disability Coordinator at (916)323-4916 by voice or through the California Relay Services at 711, to place your request for disability services, or go to http://www.arb.ca.gov/html/ada/ada.htm.

If you are a person with limited English and would like to request interpreter services to be available at the meeting, please contact ARB's Bilingual Manager at (916) 323-7053. or go to http://www.arb.ca.gov/as/eeo/languageaccess.htm

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Sincerely,

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